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In re Application of : Yanagimachi et al.  
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INTRACYTOPLASMIC SPERM INJECTION**  
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Applications, Serial No. 60/096,078, filed August 11, 1998 and Serial No 60/133,970, filed May 13, 1999. This is a response to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2000. A two month shortened statutory period for response was set for November 27, 2000.

Please amend the application, as follows:

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